

**RE: Decription of August presentation**

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08/09/2011 10:05 PM

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Kay - I feel strongly that preliminary scoring for a potential Superfund listing has to be part of the description. That's what people are anticipating and if its not right up front, people will think EPA is hiding something.

I think its more important that BLM and EPA are direct and honest with people than anything else. More important than talking about collaboration and working together. Your agencies have obligations. Be up front with them. When federal agencies talk about collaboration, people tend not to belief them. The only way to gain trust and collaboration is over time through actions.

How about something like:

EPA and BLM will discuss their CERCLA processes and potential resources they may have to address water quality issues. EPA will also discuss their preliminary scoring of Upper Cement Creek with regard to a potential Superfund listing.

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Sent: Tuesday, August 09, 2011 3:38 PM

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Subject: Fw: Decription of August presentation

Peter, I spoke with Sabrina, and she is OK with the wording I sent you a

week ago, rather than what she says below.

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Kay Zillich

(only the computer knows me as Cathleen)

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Subject  
Re: Description of August presentation

Peter and Kay, I am back to working on revising the presentation. Peter, I wonder if we could change your description? It could read something like:  
EPA will present potential options that involve EPA resources, discuss their preliminary scoring of Upper Cement Creek with regard to potential Superfund listing, and both EPA and BLM will briefly discuss their respective history in the watershed and roles/options for cleanups. I would like Kay's input too, as I don't know how many more slides she may want to put into the presentation, or in keeping with mind set that EPA and BLM want progress and water quality improvement, that we don't necessarily need to be in lock step with each other, I am wondering

if

Kay wants to do a separate presentation after you introduce her??

Sincerely,

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Date: 07/28/2011 09:48 AM

Subject: Decription of August presentation

Hi Kay - I wanted to check with you to see if BLM is going to present

along with EPA in August. I want to send out a description to the email

list.

I thinking something like: EPA will discuss their preliminary scoring of Upper Cement Creek with regard to a potential Superfund listing and both EPA and BLM will discuss their respective responsibilities for CERCLA processes and actions.

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